

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L SEOUL 6598

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PGOV, KS, US  
SUBJ: FOREIGN TRAVEL BY TONGSUN PARK

REF: STATE 188682

MOFA AMERICAN AFFAIRS BUREAU DIRECTOR YU CHONG-HA HAD MENTIONED TO  
POLCOUNS ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO THAT HE UNDERSTOOD TONGSUN PARK MIGHT  
WITH TO VISIT LONDON. AT THAT TIME POLCOUNS POINTED OUT APPLI-  
CABILITY OF MPAA AND STATED THAT, SHOULD PARK FORMALLY MAKE  
REQUEST, USDOJ PERMISSION WOULD BE REQUIRED. UPON RECEIPT OF

REFTEL, POLCOUNS AGAIN DISCUSSED MATTER WITH YU, REFERRING TO  
PREVIOUS CONVERSATION, AND EXPRESSED UNDERSTANDING THAT, SHOULD  
ROKG WISH TO ALLOW TRAVEL FOR TONGSUN PARK TO LONDON, USDOJ WOULD  
PROBABLY INTERPOSE NO OBJECTION. HE POINTED OUT THAT WE WERE NOT  
PROPOSING OR ADVOCATING SUCH TRAVEL. YU STATED THAT HE WAS NOT  
AWARE OF THE ACTUAL STATUS OF PARK'S REQUEST BUT SAID THAT ROKG  
WAS FAVORABLY DISPOSED TOWARD ALLOWING SUCH TRAVEL. HE SAID ROKG  
WOULD REQUEST US APPROVAL PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF ANY  
TRAVEL DOCUMENTS TO TONGSUN PARK.  
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